**Essential Question: Is it a moral obligation to practice philanthropy?**

**Assignment:** In response to the essential question, write a three-page essay taking a position and supporting it with textual evidence gathered throughout the quarter from the texts you have read. Make sure to integrate information from a minimum three sources, using signal phrases to introduce information and in-text citations to document sources.

**Outlining**

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| Your position statement/thesis |

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| Point 1 | |
| Text evidence supporting this point | Commentary |
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| Point 2 | |
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| Point 3 | |
| Text evidence supporting this point | Commentary |
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| So What? Suggestions? Thoughts? Pearls of Wisdom for Your Conclusion? |